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Board of Electors
Hall of Fame for Great Americans
2 Washington Square Village
New York, New York

Dear Members of the Board of Electors:

We are writing to endorse the election in 1976 of Clara Barton to the Hall of Fame for Great Americans.

We believe that election to the Hall of Fame in the bicentennial year of the nation will indeed be a fitting tribute to the contributions this famed American woman made to the nation in her life time and the legacy of achievement, inspiration, and ideal of personal initiative and humanitarian service she left for later generations of Americans to follow.

We realize, at least in part, the difficult decisions you face in selecting a few to honor among so many renowned Americans, but we believe that Clara Barton is eminently worthy of your choice. We feel ourselves honored in making this endorsement of Clara Barton to you.

Sincerely yours,

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